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Session Year 2008
Substitute for Raised H.B. No. 5147

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Introducer(s):

Environment Committee

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING INVASIVE PLANTS.

Statement of Purpose: To allow the director of the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station to inspect nurseries for violations of section 22a-381d of the general statutes, to allow the Commissioner of Agriculture to issue orders in the case of a pet shop violating section 22a-381d of the general statutes, to expand the prohibition against invasive plants to include their seeds, flowers, roots and tubers, to allow for the use of invasive plants for research purposes, and to allow violators to pay the fine without having to appear in court.

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02/14/08 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Environment Committee
02/21/08 PUBLIC HEARING 02/25
02/27/08 JOINT FAVORABLE SUBSTITUTE
02/27/08 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE
03/06/08 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 03/11/08-5:00 PM
03/12/08 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE
03/12/08 FAVORABLE REPORT, Tabled FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE
03/12/08 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 34
03/12/08 FILE NUMBER 22
03/26/08 REFERRED BY HOUSE TO COMMITTEE ON Planning and Development Committee
04/04/08 JOINT FAVORABLE
04/04/08 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE
04/04/08 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE
04/07/08 NO NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Planning and Development Committee
04/07/08 Tabled FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE
04/08/08 REFERRED BY HOUSE TO COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee<b

Co-sponsor(s):

Rep. Patricia M. Widlitz, 98th Dist. Rep. Mary G. Fritz, 90th Dist.
Rep. Bryan Hurlburt, 53rd Dist.